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—SELECTED TALE.—

THE PEDLAR AND HIS DOG.

AN INTERESTING STORY.

BY J. H. ROBINSON.

Concluded.

But what struck me as being a little singular was, that the head of said bed was turned toward the partition separating the two rooms, and right opposite the pillow was a wide crack which had the appearance of having been left there by design.

I began to feel queer, and that is not just the word to express what I mean. I had large sums of money about me, enough to tempt the cupidity of my entertainers, at any rate, as their actions had already convinced me. How easy it would be for them to shoot me through the crevice while I slept. The idea got possession of me fully, and I could not drive it away. I would have fastened the door, but there was nothing to fasten it with, and I was impressed with the idea that danger would not come in that direction. If it should Lion was there to apprise me of it. I threw off my coat, and bustled about as though I was undressing. I put my pistols under my pillow, and laid down, but such an unaccountable and terrible sense of evil pressed upon me that I could not think of sleeping. Lion too, appeared uneasy. He came and put his fore paws upon the bed every few minutes, then went back to his post by the door, and laid down with a kind of feverish anxiety.

At last I feigned sleep, and snored most musically, but I did not fail to look through the crevice to see what my host and hostess were doing. They laid down upon the bed which stood in the room, without taking off their clothes, and were quiet until I began to snore, then I heard them whisper. What were my sensations, when I saw them arise softly, and the man take the gun from behind the bed! I saw him, assisted by the hag, draw out a charge of shot, which was in the gun, and reload it with a handful of slugs. I turned over heavily, and pretended to awake. My plan of action was arranged in a moment.

I had worn a wig for several years, on account of losing my hair by a fever. I now determined to make it of more use to me than it had ever been before. I lifted myself quietly from the bed, and felt about in the dark, until I had found one of the pumpkins I had seen. Over this I drew my wig, and it happened to be an excellent fit. Having dressed this useful vegetable in this uncommon manner, I crept back to my bed, and placed it upon the pillow in the exact posttion my head had occupied. When it was thus adjusted, it was in juxta-position with the long crevice, through which I now took another look. Heavens! the fiends were loading a brace of horse pistols with the same infernal slugs.

I can't say but I felt a little dry about the throat then. I looked toward old Lion. I could just discern his great eyes through the darkness. He was still upon the alert. The perspiration began to roll down my face in great drops, not that I felt absolutely afraid—for I flatter myself I am not a coward—but I did not like the idea of taking human life. I was confident I could defend myself, yet even that confidence was not enough to make me feel altogether comfortable.

Taking down my pistols in my hands, I crept into the bed, and commenced snoring again, at the same time watching the movements of the man and his amiable spouse. Every explosion from my nose seemed to give them the greatest satisfaction. They looked at each other—nodded and smiled grimly. He took the gun, and in his stocking feet approached the crevice opposite my bed, followed by the hag with the pistols and a carving knife. Stooping he peeped into my room, and brought his ferocious looking eyes to bear upon my wig. I knew it would be dangerous to see any more. I raised my head enough to get out of harm's way, and emitted now and then a snore. I heard him distinctly fix the muzzle of the gun against the fissure opposite the wig, and then with a tremor of indignation, and a kind of creeping sensation all over me. I drew back and awaited the result. It was a moment of awful suspense to me, What, if he should discover the cheat, and elevate his piece? A thousand such thoughts rushed through my mind in an instant. The cold sweat ran down my face in streams. Thank Heaven I was not kept long in suspense.

A terrible explosion followed the fearful pause. A storm of slugs poured into my bed, perforating the wig, and scattering the pumpkin in every direction,

'He won't tell no stories,' I heard the assassin say, as he dropped the breech of the gun heavily to the floor. 'Now for the dog.'

During these operations, Lion had placed himself by my side, with his fore feet upon the bed, while to keep him still, I put my hand over his mouth. He knew well what I meant, for I had done so before: At this moment of the discharge he gave a low growl. I pointed towards the door. He understood my meaning well. His eyes flashed like balls of fire, while he waited the moment to wreak his vengeance on the cowardly assassins.

'I will open the door a little, and when the cretur sticks his head out, shoot him,' said the she-wolf.

The door was opened, but 'the cretur' didnt stick his head out.' Lion knew better than that, and waited his chance.

Emboldened by not hearing anything, the door was gradually opened. Now was the time. With a terrific howl, Lion leaped over the head of the woman, and seizing the ruffian by the throat, dragged him in an instant to the floor, where a great struggle took place. In another moment the hag was writhing in my nervous grasp. Her surprise was so great, that she made but little resistance; and I quickly bound her hand and foot with a cord which she had provided for another purpose—perhaps to drag my body away into the woods.

The next thing was to attend to the man & Lion. The struggle between them was still going on, but the former had the worst of it. Lion had set his sharp teeth into the throat of the wretch, and rendered all his efforts abortive, although he was a man of powerful frame. He was already reeking in blood, and I hastened to save what little life was left in him. The dog was loth to quit his hold, and when he did, he left one victim to punish another, for before I could prevent it, he set his teeth quite through the hag's arm, who shrieked like a lunatic.

The fellow looked ghastly enough when I released him. His neck was frightfully torn, but he got no sympathy from me. I was resolved that he should not escape. I bound him as I had done his companion in iniquity, while he maintained a moody silence, and she heaped curses upon the dog. I bound her apron about his neck, which was all the surgical aid he got from me. Lion now seemed very well satisfied with the arrangements, and laid down in the corner, and watched them with much calm philosophy.

We remained with them until morning. I cannot say but I enjoyed our triumph as well as Lion did, for they certainly were old offenders, as it was proved afterwards in a court of justice: As good fortune would have it, a man passed by the next morning, by whom I sent word to the nearest settlement of what had occurred.

Before ten o'clock the offenders were in the hands of the law. They were conveyed to the nearest jail, where they awaited their trial, which took place about two months after.

They were sentenced to ten years imprisonment, which all the circumstances considered, was not too much. I believe if ever they will live to get out, they will kill old Lion, should he survive their punishment, and he no doubt will, for he is as strong and healthy a dog as you can find anywhere, No money would tempt me to part with him. He is now looking quietly in my face as I write this, for I have been trying to make him understand what it is about. I have hinted to him the propriety of having his likeness published with this sketch, but he shakes his head gravely, as much as to say.

'I don't care about it master—every worthless puppy has his likeness published now a days'

Grateful for past services, I suffer him to have his own way in this, as in a great many otner matters. 'Let no one despise the dog, as he is the only animal who, forsaking his own species, cultivates the friendship of man.—Republican, Lancaster Pa.

THE OLD MILL.

Don't you remember, Lily dear,
The mill by the old hill side,
Where we used to go in the summer time
And watch the foamy tide,
And toss the leaves of the fragrant beach,
On its breast so smooth and bright
Where they floated away like emeralds,
In a flood of golden light
Lily dear!

And the miller love with his slouchy cap,
& eyes of mildest gray,
Plodding about his dusty work
Singing the live long day,
And the coat that hung on the rusty nail,
With many a motley patch,
And the rude old door with its broken sill,
And the string and the wooden latch,
Lily dear?

Judge Jeffries, when on the bench, told an old fellow with a long beard that he supposed he had a conscience as long as his beard.

'Does your lordship,' replied the old man, 'measure conscience by beard? If so, yonr lordship has none at all.'

A Man boasting in company that he had a very luxuriant head of hair, one of the fair damsels remarked that it was entirely owing to the mellowness of the soil.

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A well known alderman was taken to see the hippopotamus. He looked at it intently for a quarter of an hour, and then burst out of his reverie with the following remark,—'I wonder what sort of soup it would make?'

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OUR LITERARY FRIENDS.

Having bestowed a few words of commendation upon one of the Philadelphia Weeklies, in last HUNTRESS, our heart would reproach us were we to be silent on behalf of others, the POST and the COURIER, those unrivalled benefactors of mankind.

Too much praise cannot be bestowed upon men of such unwearied deligence—to see men of the first intellect and learning, sacrificing those qualifications, which would fit them for any professional pursuit, and devote their time night and day, from year to year, for the improvement of their fellow-men, in the suppression of vice, and the encouragement of virtue, instructing them in Belles Lettres, history, and all the arts and sciences, with all the news foreign and domestic, reports of Legislatures, and the drama; to say nothing of the great fund of amusement in the choicest selections, from writers of the finest taste in Europe or America. In short the best of the very best of everything, such men we repeat, cannot be praised too highly.

Like a lamp set upon a hill, they not only give light to the feet, but warn the people of approaching danger. Therefore no man can lay out his money to more advantage, and instead of thirty to forty thousand subscribers, the wonder is that they do not amount to twice that number.

The great mass of intelligence embodied in these large weeklies of Philadelphia (or where ever papers of equal value may be found] are of infinitely more value than all the so called religious societies, which abound in the country, at a cost of millions from first to last; which so far from being a benefit to society they have involved it in crime, ignorance and fanaticism—the most lamentable of all, their [illegible] infringements upon common sense, as hundreds become victims to insanity, [illegible] is the next step generally to butchering their own families first and then making way with themselves.

The Saturday [Philadelphia] Post is the oldest of the Mammoth weeklies, it was commenced under its present name by a Mr. Atkison, about twenty-eight years since, as Mr. Peterson says, perhaps it was about the year 27 or 8, it was quite a small sheet. The editor Mr. A. was a man of fine abilities—but we lost sight of the paper till seven or eight years since, when it had become a mammoth* sheet and all the rage—being surprisingly improved, and has continued to improve.

At the same time, as mentioned in our note below, 1830, we stepped into a basement story in Chesnut, fronting Mr. Atkison's office, to see one of those great mammoth presses quite a new thing at that time—there we found two youths nearly grown, one laying a blank sheet upon the top of a gigantic machine, while the other received it below, printed on one side.

While we stood pondering upon the invention we were struck by the modest, and somewhat discouraged countenance of the young men. At length one observed, "Mrs. R. we are printers, but cannot get work, and just took a notion we would start a paper, do please Madam, speak up for us, as we seem to have very little encouragement, and we are almost out of heart." It appears they were working off on the same press used by the "Chronicle," and made use of the same matter for the most part, adding a few extracts. It was then a large sheet, but the poor boys had no editor and were looked down upon. But when our paper started in Washington we remembered our young friends, and said all we could say to befriend them, and the paper succeeded ultimately. This was the Saturday Courier, now the American Courier.

One of the young men was named Alexander, we have seen him once since, he was then doing a good business in North 3d Street.

Neal's GAZETTE in the same city was another excellent paper, we have not seen it in a year. But what we were coming to is, that these two papers the Post and the Courier have improved beyond all expectation, and have become the delight of society, and the pioneers of science.

These papers with the Gleaner, are now in progress of publishing some of the finest tales or novelets they have entered upon yet. The Post is publishing the Nun of Mount Carmel or Shannondale, by Mrs. Southworth, and is soon to favor us with "THE BELLE & THE BLUE—a Novelet, by Caroline Lee Hentz, author of the Mob Cap, Aunt Patty's Scrap Bag, &c."

It is but a short time since we saw her Linda, a beautiful and very interesting tale, in the American Courier. But [though she is a pretty writer] none of her tales pleases us like the 'Mob Cap.'*

The Courier is engaged with 'Moreton Hall, or the Haunted House,' which is well patronized: But the new Correspondent of the Model American Courier, Kate Congngham promises much amusement—she is full of mirth and glee, and imparts life and spirits to every thing she does and says, and without any effort at all, touches the pen with admirable skill upon every subject she undertakes.

Her 'Fishing-party,' in last week's Courier excells. Her 'Sea-Captain' navigation, his vehicle with the old blind horse, caps the climax—and her description of Southern manners and customs, are true to to the letter.

The GLEANER is engaged in a historical tale called "Ellen Percy," too [illegible].

* This touching tale so true to nature, innocence and simplicity, reminds one of Goldsmith's beautiful Vicar of Wakefield. It is the sudden development of the mystery with which the authoress with the most consumate skill enwraps her tale, that pleases. The scene of the Green Veil is not surpassed by any writer, while the scene of the 'Stage Coach' is the best off-hand lesson for young men we ever met with.

EDUCATION.

Our city authorities have been looking into the subject of Schools in the city, fixing salaries &c. It is not for the want of funds that education fails to improve children. The defect lies in the teachers. It is the sectarian character of the teachers, chiefly narrow minded females. These are already prepared by the 'National education society,' at the North and the east, picked up anywhere. They are sent over the middle States, the South and the West as teachers, always followed and often proceeded by men of the Church & State party [in disguise mostly] to recommend, and see that they are installed agreeably to their plan, which is to suppress knowledge, and contract the mind.

Wishing to get a little boy of eight years old into some school near our dwelling, we set out with the child to look for a Miss Francis's School, who for years had kept a free school on Capitol Hill, she was a good girl, and stood high as a teacher. But she had 'left,' and a Miss ——— from New York usurped her place. We found the new comer in the rear of Green's row, and stated our business, and for every word we addressed to her she had the "how" of New York. It was nothing but 'how, how,' a substitute for madam or sir, generally used by the lower order in that city, and such is the course of habit and education, as it is called, that genteel looking clerks use no other.

Meantime the house was cramed with children, not one looking on their books, but talking, laughing and addressing us by name in impudent remarks. 'Do you call this teaching madam?' we asked pointing to the offenders. 'never you mind my children, I know what to do with my children,' she replied. By accident we fell upon another school ten times worse, but of this hereafter.

In justice however, we have some first rate teachers in the city which we shall refer to anon.

Another naming her tract 'the Friend of Youth' says 'my child Abolitionists are not fanatics.' The child believes this. Now see the consequence of such teaching,

IMPRISONMENT OF W. L. CHAPLIN.

"We publish in another column an account of the arrest and imprisonment of Mr. Chaplin, formerly editor of the Albany Patriot, for assisting the escape of the slaves of Messrs. Toombs and Stephens from Washington city. The National Era is out in condemnation of his conduct. We have no heart to join in this censure. The slaveholder is simply a pirate, holding by a thief's title his fellow man in bondage, who has precisely the same right to be free as himself." *Era*.

CONGRESS.

Congress is making up its lost time good. But why do they not appropriate money for the poor clerks, we want our money for our paper. We drew our pension the other day and took most all to pay our debts.

THE QUEEN'S PHYSICIAN IN SPAIN.

A letter from Madrid gives the following version of an affair which had made some noise in the Spanish capital—On the day of her Majesty's delivery, Narvaez, in a burst of rage, told the physician, Sanchez, that as soon as the Queen recovered, he should not only be dismissed from the palace, but banished from Madrid. Sanchez, three days after this warning, availing himself of the improved state of the Queen's health, communicated the threat of the all-powerful minister, and added, that it grieved him to be obliged to confess that at the moment of her majesty's delivery, he had been reduced to the painful alternative of either sacrificing her life or that of the prince. At such a moment he could not hesitate an instant as to the decision which he ought to take. The Queen bade the medico-applicant be of good courage; for she had never forgotten that, on a former occasion, when she had good reason to believe her life assailed by poison, her preservation was due to his skill and fidelity. She had still perfect confidence in his loyalty and knowledge, and was determined that he should never be separated from her. On the afternoon of the same day, Narvaez had an audience, in which he presented to the Queen that Sanchez had been unanimously condemned by public opinion, and that it would be only prudent to remove him from the palace. The Queen objected to any change in her medical service. The Nacion, next day, came out with a furious article against Sanchez, which was cited again by Narvaez, as a token of the tone of public opinion. The King being present upon this occasion, observed that it would be more prudent to defer a subject so calculated to excite the Queen, until she was perfectly recovered. Her Majesty followed up this by saying that she would never part with Sanchez, in whom she reposed entire confidence. Narvaez appeared to be much affected by this rebuff, and took his leave immediately. The functionaries of the royal household, who labor incessantly for his fall, have redoubled their activity since this occurrence.—Messenger, [*Pa.*]

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